

## NUMBER XIII.

## IOWA RIVER.

**MEMORIAL AND JOINT RESOLUTION** asking Congress to Declare the Iowa River Unnavigable from the City of Wapello, in Louisa County, North.

*To the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States in Congress assembled :*

YOUR MEMORIALISTS, THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA, WOULD RESPECTFULLY REPRESENT:—That at an early period of the territory which composes the State of Iowa, the Congress of the United States declared the Iowa river, in said State, to be a navigable stream; that if parties were allowed to bridge, or throw dams across said river, the community would receive much more benefit by reason of such improvements, than they now do: therefore,

*Be it Resolved by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa,* That our senators in Congress be instructed, and our representatives be requested, to use their influence to have Congress, by an act, declare the Iowa river not a navigable stream from Wapello, in Louisa county, north.

*Resolved,* That a copy of this memorial and resolution be forwarded by the Secretary of State to each of our senators and representatives in Congress.

Approved April 2, 1868.

## NUMBER XIV.

## CHICAGO, ROCK ISLAND AND PACIFIC RAILROAD COMPANY.

**JOINT RESOLUTION** Instructing Attorney - General as to Proceedings touching Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific Railroad.

WHEREAS, The General Assembly of the State of Iowa did, on the 10th day of February, A. D. 1868, pass an act entitled "A bill for an act providing for and requiring the early construction of the Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific Railroad from Davenport to Council Bluffs," which was approved by the Governor on the 11th day of said month; and has taken effect by the publication thereof, as by its terms provided; and

WHEREAS, Said act has been duly accepted by the Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific Railroad Company, in the manner required by the provisions thereof; and